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Commission on Teacher Credentialing

SUBJECT: Teacher Librarian Services Credential and Permit

## **Summary:**

Senate Bill (SB) 132 (Chap. 730, Stats. 2007) was signed by the Governor on October 14, 2007. The bill made various clarifying and technical changes to the Education Code. This correspondence explains the amendment pertaining to the issuance of library services documents.

#### **Key Provisions:**

SB 132 amended Education Code §44269 and changed the title of the Library Media Teachers Services Credential to Teacher Librarian Services Credential. The title change also affects emergency permits and waivers. Effective January 1, 2008, initial librarian credentials will be issued as Teacher Librarian Services Credentials and initial emergency permits will be issued as Emergency Teacher Librarian Services Permits. Upon renewal, reissuance, as well as duplicates, name changes and replacements, previously issued librarian credentials and permits will be issued with the new title.

# **Important Dates:**

The document name change takes effect on January 1, 2008.

#### **Background:**

The Commission has been issuing Library Media Teacher Services Credentials since January 1, 1989, and Library Media Teacher Services Permits since July 15, 1990. The title change of services credentials and permits to "Teacher Librarian" will conform to the title currently used in much of the United States.

## **Source:**

Education Code §44269

#### **References:**

Teacher Librarian Services Credential leaflet – <a href="http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl562.pdf">http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl562.pdf</a>
Emergency Permits (Resource Specialist, CLAD/BCLAD, Library Media) leaflet-<a href="http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl533o.pdf">http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl533o.pdf</a>

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